

Acting Version of  
HENRY W. SAVAGE'S PRODUCTION OF  
"Every Woman"  
In her pilgrimage of quest of love  
AT THE  
AUDITORIUM THEATRE  
APRIL 29 AND 30

Benefit of Community Center, 18th and Vine Streets  
The play is being directed by Miss Keith of the Dramatic  
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### LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL EXTENSION

FREE MONTHLY MUSICAL CONCERT  
SUNDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 4, 1920, AT 3:15 P. M.  
PROGRAM GIVEN BY

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| Lincoln High School Chorus.....    | 100 voices |
| Lincoln High School Orchestra..... | 25 pieces  |
| Girls' Glee Club.....              | 16 voices  |
| Boys' Glee Club.....               | 20 voices  |
- PROGRAM
- Overture: "The Cavalry Charge".....Luders
  - Synopsis: Morning of the battle. Infantry approaching with rifle and drum. Cavalry in the distance will charge on the enemy. Cavalry pursuing in the distance.
  - Bridal Chorus (from) Lohengrin.....Wagner
  - Women's Voices.
  - Trio: The Meads Are Green Again.....Well
  - Misses Helen Tolson, Vuelta Green and Edna Nix
  - Duet: "When Life Is Brightest".....Pensut
  - Misses Theresa Coleman, Christine Lovell
  - Solo: "The Palms".....Fauve
  - Miss Magnolia Williams and Orchestra.
  - Melody: "See What the End Will Be".....Smith
  - Miss Lillie Raynor and Chorus.
  - Solo: "The Holy City".....Hoffman
  - Miss Marie Lillard.
  - Girls' Glee Club: "The Prima Donna".....Smith
  - A Song of thrift, courage and energy
  - Inflammatus (from) Stabat Mater.....Rossini
  - Miss Edna Turner, Chorus and Orchestra.
  - "Star Spangled Banner".....
  - J. R. E. LEE, Principal.
- N. CLARK SMITH, Director.

### LIBERIA.

By Wm. H. Dawley, Jr.

Is the American Negro made of real pioneer stuff or is he content to follow in the walks of sturdy, red blooded men and exclaim. After you get through give me the leavings, or rather has his contact with the white man of the United States smothered or put to sleep those sparks that cause other men to venture to seek and to overcome. The United States is the home of the Negroes of that country and despite drawbacks conditions here will become more favorable to Negroes. But England is the home of the Englishmen but that does not hinder Englishmen from going to Canada, Australia, India, Egypt and South Africa and making good. Nearly a hundred years ago former American slaves landed on the West Coast of Africa and after many ups and downs in 1848 with their descendants proclaimed to the world the Republic of Liberia.

Mr. Rucker Smith a few days ago before the Missionary and ten-centenary Convention at St. James church reviewed her progress and her needs. This, of course, is from the outside but in an interview in a recent issue of the London Telegram President King speaks: "Monrovia is pretty but of course it is merely a jumble of bungalows and houses put down without method in the bush. 'I must have roads, proper roads, and that is one of the first things I am going to see to, that and the building of a new capital on modern and up-to-date lines, right away up country.' Up country we have many different tribes, speaking different languages. They seldom or never come to Monrovia, the capital, because they cannot make the tedious journey of fourteen of fifteen days to pay their respects while obtaining no commensurate advantage. Liberia is enormously rich. She has rubber, palm oil and kernels, ginger, rice and coffee. Calabar beans and ivory, two tons of the last was exported in 1917. Who knows but that our own Col. Young may be designer of this prospective capital and thus enroll his name along side of the distinguished Frenchman who laid out our Capital of Washington.

President Charles B. King is described as a man of marked individuality, medium height, spare frame with whiskers, of the Prince Consort type, making him look older than his years. He is outspoken and gifted with a keen sense of humor that allows him to smile without bitterness at the very manifest intrigues of pseudo international diplomats who have suddenly swarmed in Monrovia. Liberia offers the greatest opportunity for Negro Civil Engineers, chemists, physicians and master mechanics. She has a goodly supply of lawyers, preachers and teachers.

Mr. R. B. DeFrantz, National Y. M. C. A. Secretary, was the guest of Prof. H. O. Cook during his brief stay in Kansas City this week. Mr. DeFrantz has just finished a tour of eighteen cities of Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas and reports for the Y. M. C. A. work most satisfactory interest and financial support from Topeka to San Antonio.



OFFICER T. WALTER HOWARD

Who with his partner, Officer Wells, made some splendid captures of burglars and pocketbook snatchers during the past week.

Ernest Squares, 15 years of age is developing all the traits of a desperado; he has been identified as the lad who snatched the pocketbook and robbed the homes of many; he snatched the purse of Mrs. Dibble who lost \$50.00 sometime ago, also another lady's purse at 18th and Park and had stolen two bicycles, one of which was in his possession and the other has since been recovered. He stabbed a boy in the dark, also found to be the lad who broke into a lady's trunk at 1804 E. 12th Street. Young Squares was arrested by Officers Howard and Wells whom The Sun predicted last



OFFICER BUSH WELLS

Who is teaming with the old veteran, Officer Walter Howard. They are making a reputation for "good catches" that is making 'em all sit up and take notice.

week would make a record for themselves on special assignments given them. These splendid officers are also on the trail of a gang of house breakers whom they hope to apprehend before the close of the week. They also arrested a Negro, Geo. Whitfield for stealing several bolts of cloth from a tailor shop. He was wearing a suit made from some of the cloth at the time of his arrest. They arrested a Negro by the name of John Dougan who stole a truck loaded with fresh vegetables and groceries from the rear of the Jones store this week.

### CONDEMNED MAN'S REQUEST FOR AID REVEALS IDENTITY.

Frank Kelly, Awaiting Execution at Sing Sing Is Bus Cain, Who Escaped Springfield (Mo.) Mob. (Associated Negro Press.)

Brooklyn, N. Y., March 24.—Frank Kelly, awaiting execution at Sing Sing for the murder of Catherine Dunn, in Flatbush, on December 20, and self-confessed slayer of Emma McDonald some months earlier, is known in the West as Bus Cain, a murderer and fugitive from justice. Cain, it is learned, fourteen years ago at Springfield, Mo., escaped from the clutches of a mob that burned three other Negroes at the stake. Since the lynching bee in Missouri, the wanderings of Cain, or Kelly, have taken him over both Americas, North and South. The news that he had been sent to the death house in this state has just been re-

ceived at Springfield. To the majority of those who remembered his earlier crimes he had long been considered dead.

To the good people of Springfield he had passed to an unknown beyond. When news that Frank Kelly was arrested on December 29 for the murder of Catherine Dunn in the home of her Flatbush employer, Clarence S. Clark, flashed throughout the country, the residents did not suppose for a moment that he was Bus Cain. Nor were their suspicions aroused when, during the trial, he placidly revealed now he had shot to death some months before Emma McDonald, the B. R. T. ticket agent, whose body was found in a sand pit near Carnarvie. The truth did not become known until a few days ago, when Kelly, imbued with the desperation of a convicted criminal, asked Springfield relatives for aid in securing an appeal of his case.

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